

**SYSTEM AND METHOD OF SHARING CONFIDENTIAL SEMICONDUCTOR
MANUFACTURING INFORMATION USING TRANSITORY LINKS**

ABSTRACT

[0072] The present disclosure provides a system for sharing confidential semiconductor manufacturing information which includes an access monitor module for authorizing user access to confidential information, an information sharing module for creating a transitory link to the confidential information in response to authorization, and a transitory link maintenance module for maintaining and removing the transitory link. A user may request access to the confidential information and, upon authorization, a transitory link is created which allows the user to access the confidential information. The transitory link is then removed from the system.